

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION TRANSMITTAL

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Atty. Docket No. SIC-01-011

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In re application of: **MASAHIRO YAMANAKA**

Application No. 10/002,256

Filed: November 23, 2001

Group Art Unit: 3682

For: **SEAL ASSEMBLY FOR A BICYCLE BOTTOM
 BRACKET**

MAIL STOP RCE
COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
P.O. Box 1450
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By: *Elizabeth J. Deland*

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Commissioner:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above-identified application.

- ☐ A petition to extend time to respond in the above-identified prior application complying with the OG Notice of June 14, 1984 is enclosed.
- ☐ Please enter the amendment under §1.116 dated _____ and unentered in the prior nonprovisional application.
- ☒ Please enter the enclosed amendment.
- ☐ Enclosed is an Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 [] with copies of cited foreign references.
- ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a period of ____ months.
 (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i) **required**).
- ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503).

The required fees have been calculated as shown below:

| | CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT | | HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | PRESENT EXTRA |
|---|---|-------|---------------------------------------|------------------|
| TOTAL | 36 | MINUS | 36 | 0 |
| INDEP. | 7 | MINUS | 3 | 4 |
| [] FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM | | | | |

| SMALL ENTITY | |
|---------------------|---------------|
| RATE | ADDIT. FEE |
| x9= | \$ |
| x43= | \$ |
| +145= | \$ |
| TOTAL ADDIT. FEE | \$ |

OR

| OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY | |
|------------------------------|---------------|
| RATE | ADDIT. FEE |
| x18= | \$ |
| 4x86= | \$344 |
| +290= | \$ |
| TOTAL | \$344 |

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 02 FC:1801 770.00 OP

- ☒ RCE fee \$ 770.
- ☒ Claims fee \$ 344.
- ☐ Time extension fee \$ _____.
- ☒ Form PTO-2038 for \$ 1,114 is enclosed.

Two copies of this sheet are enclosed.

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Respectfully submitted,
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